

Russian Ambassador and Mme. Bakhmeteff Are Hosts for Former U. S. Envoy and Mrs. Marye; More Than 400 Dine and Dance at Chevy Chase

Other News of Society at the Capital

Wine Colored Taffeta and Georgette Crepe.

The Russian Ambassador and Mme. Bakhmeteff were hosts at dinner last evening given by Capt. and Mrs. William Strother Smith, U. S. N., at the Chevy Chase Club. Invited to meet them were Senator and Mrs. Swanson, Senator and Mrs. James, Admiral and Mrs. Benson, Admiral and Mrs. Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walker, Admiral and Mrs. Harris, Capt. and Mrs. Wurtzbaugh, Capt. and Mrs. Glennon, Dr. and Mrs. Galewood, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Kauffmann, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Coffin, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Pollard, of Boston, who are visiting Capt. and Mrs. Smith; Mrs. Gillette Hill, Miss Smith, Miss Gillette Hill, Capt. Ridley McLean, Representative Mudd, Baron Castle, and Commander Dinger.

Miss Sibyl Hayes and Miss Lyette Hayes have returned from a week's visit to Winchester, Mass., where they were the guests of Miss Ruth McCall.

More than 400 guests dined and danced at the Chevy Chase Club last evening. Among the dinner hosts of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell Swanson, who entertained for their home guest, Miss Elise Wilson, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Long, who gave a dinner party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James Tindale; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brown, Miss Mary Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Aspinwall, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Victor Blue, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Chapin, Col. and Mrs. W. W. Harts, Mrs. Eugene Van Rensselaer, Miss Eleanor Bryan, Commander and Mrs. G. L. Smith, Capt. and Mrs. William Mitchell, Prof. and Mrs. Willis Moore, Mrs. Robert Hinckley, Representative and Mrs. Ira C. Copley, Mr. and Mrs. John Buchanan, Representative and Mrs. Swager Sherley, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Rose V. Bulmer, Miss Cushing, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Britten, Lieut. Magruder and Mrs. L. O. Cameron.

Additional hostesses and patronesses for the Dolly Madison breakfast in honor of Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Clark and the ladies of the Cabinet, to be given at Rauscher's May 15 are: Countess Spottiswood-Mackin, Mrs. Russell Harrison, Mrs. Myers, wife of Senator Myers, of Montana; Mrs. Charles Grayson Dulin, Mrs. Randolph Hopkins, Mrs. Mary Adams, and Miss Flora Wilson.

At those contemplating attending the breakfast are requested to send their cards of acceptance to Mrs. Cullup at Congress Hall, not later than Monday.

Col. Eduardo Raybaud, military attaché to the Argentine Embassy, and Mme. Raybaud have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sara Raybaud, and Mr. Abel V. Ezeiza, of Argentina. The wedding will take place Saturday, May 20, at high noon at St. Matthew's Church, and a breakfast will follow at the residence of Col. and Mrs. Raybaud, on Massachusetts avenue.

Mr. Lee, rector of the church, will perform the ceremony.

Miss Maria Alicia Raybaud, the bride's sister, will be the maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will include Miss Brynna Raybaud and Miss Zelenia Raybaud, sisters of the bride; Miss Ellen Bruce Lee and Miss Hallie Elkins Davis.

Mrs. Stimson Brown entertained at bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. John D. Bennett, Mrs. John Temple Graves and Mrs. T. De Witt Talmage presided at the tea table.

Mrs. Samuel J. Graham entertained at a luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. Josephus Daniels. The guests, forty in number, were seated at small tables, each one adorned with spring flowers, while the drawing rooms were decorated with lilacs and other flowers of the season.

Among the guests invited to meet Mrs. Daniels were Mrs. W. C. Redfield, Mrs. Charles S. Thomas, Mrs. J. Hamilton Lewis, Mrs. Alice Pomeroy, Mrs. Thomas J. Walsh, Mrs. John F. Shafer, Mrs. Ollie James, Mrs. Calderon, Mrs. Chas. Clark, Mrs. Andrew J. Montague, Mrs. W. H. Bolling, Mrs. Louis F. Post, Mrs. Laning, Mrs. Horace G. Macfarland, Mrs. Harry L. Rust, Mrs. Constance Johnson, Mrs. Brinton Stone, Mrs. R. McNeely, Mrs. Medford Crawford, Mrs. Thomas W. Lockwood, Jr., Mrs. Edward E. Capehart, Mrs. Charles B. Hawry, Mrs. Perry S. Heath, Mrs. Carl S. Vrooman, Mrs. Charles C. McChord, Mrs. Robinson F. Downey, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Rose, Miss Mary Custis Lee, Mrs. James Franklin, Mrs.

James R. Ellerson, Miss de Graffenried, Mrs. Gregory, mother of the Attorney General; Mrs. Joseph Strauss, and Mrs. Marcus Wright.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Richardson were hosts at a buffet luncheon yesterday at their residence in Connecticut avenue in compliment to the presidents and members of the Climatological, the Laryngological, and the Otolaryngological societies here for the Medical Congress. Dogwood and snowballs formed the decorations.

In the receiving line with Mrs. Richardson were the presidents of the three societies, Dr. Richardson, president of the Otolaryngological society, the oldest medical society in the country; Dr. McQueen, of Philadelphia, president of the Laryngological society, and the president of the Climatological society, Dr. Miller, of New York; Surg. Gen. William C. Gorgas, U. S. A., and Mrs. Gorgas; Surg. Gen. William C. Braisted, U. S. N., and Mrs. Braisted, and Mrs. Henry F. Dimock.

Mrs. Robert N. Page gave a small luncheon yesterday, when her guests were members of the Loyal Friends Club composed of a party of women who for years lived in the same hotel in Washington. Forget-me-nots formed the table decorations, and the women wore little friendship pins, sent them from abroad by Mrs. Frank Curtis, widow of Rear Admiral Curtis, who is now in Switzerland with her brother-in-law and sister, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Moore.

Mr. W. L. Marey, of New York, spent some time at the Tome School, Port Deposit, Md., this week, where his nephew, Robert Livingston Browning, of Washington, is a student.

Mrs. Frank Anderson will have charge of a very attractive candy table at the

garden party to be given by the House of Mercy, May 18, at the Cathedral Close. Those assisting Mrs. Anderson will be Mrs. Gillett, Mrs. Talbert, Mrs. C. C. Marbury and others.

Miss Annie M. Brooks will entertain at luncheon tomorrow at the Shoreham.

A chicken dinner will be given for the benefit of the Washington Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital at No. 4 Iowa Circle, this afternoon from 5 to 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. C. L. Thwing, of 2011 Eleventh street, is in charge of tickets. Mrs. James A. Finch is chairman of the special committee on arrangements. She is assisted by Mrs. E. W. Hanvey, Mrs. George Thorne, Mrs. Edwin Perkins, Mrs. A. J. Rapp, Mrs. H. C. Swan, Mrs. E. K. Braselton, Mrs. J. M. Michaelson, Mrs. A. P. Robbins, Mrs. Oscar Wilkinson, Mrs. Oscar H. Coumbe, Mrs. Theodore Michael, Mrs. M. L. Bundy, Mrs. Edgar Buckenham, Miss Mary Colt, Mrs. George DeNeale, Mrs. H. Gentner, Mrs. S. W. Hastings, Miss E. Haywood, Mrs. S. E. Jackson, Mrs. F. McNeil, Mrs. William T. Pollard, Miss Sarah Stephens, Mrs. E. M. Woon, Mrs. W. G. Young and the president, Mrs. Harvey S. Irvin.

The reunion of the Tome Alumni Association coincides this year with the commemoration of Founders' Day. The exercises in celebration of the latter will be held on Friday, May 12, at 3 o'clock with Dr. Arthur Aston Hamerslag, director of the Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, as principal speaker, and will be followed by a baseball game between the alumni and the present students. Many other visitors besides the alumni and parents of the students will spend the week-end at Tome and will be entertained on Saturday by golf and tennis matches between

Daily Talks By Mary Pickford

THE LITTLE PEOPLE OF IRELAND.

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MANY years did our grandmother spend in an invalid chair, a hopeless paralytic, but she was always a cheery lesson to us children, who could never remember a cross word or a somber complaint from her. Always there was a sweet smile upon her lips, and old what wonderful fairy stories she told us—folklore which we have never forgotten.

They were the old Irish legends which had been told to her by her own dear grandmother, and which I always enjoy telling to the little children in the company, because they are so full of romance and charm. We believed just as firmly that the little people hovered near us, watching us at our play, as did a superstitious old Irishman who lived in a funny little half-tumbled-down house not very far from us.

He was a cranky old fellow, and because we children were afraid of him it became a dangerous but alluring sport to tease this old man whenever we had the chance. Lottie, Jack and I discovered that he never locked the doors of his house, and with two or three of the boldest of us we would steal into the shanty and there would play our pranks.

If the bed were made, we would always unmake it—if the fire were built, we would always put it out. But if we found the bed all tossed and tumbled we would make it up spick and span like good little housewives, and when the stove was empty we would send Jack out for wood and build a nice little fire so when the old man came in he would find the teakettle steaming away on the stove.

If the house were dirty, we cleaned it—if the pictures were straight, we turned them upside down. We always put the chairs in the wrong place, and before leaving we drew down every shade in the house.

Then we would hide in the woodshed and listen to the old man as he stamped up the stairs, half afraid to go into his own house.

"The saints have pity on me!" he would mumble, as he opened the door and peeked into the shanty. "Faith, if 'tisn't the little people have been aither me agin'!"

Weeks came tumbling along and each day we lay in wait for him and each night we went home feeling as if our day had been full because we had stolen a march on old Papa Lafferty.

But one day we lingered a few minutes too long, and before we were aware of it the door had opened and there on the threshold stood old Papa Lafferty himself, with a good, long hickory stick. Lottie and I escaped through the back door, but

poor little Jack crawled under the bed and we had just rumbled up. A few minutes later, when Lottie and I peeked through the window, there was the poor little tad getting a good, sound paddling that was never intended as a punishment for the good little people of Ireland.

Years after the old man had died, we children were afraid to go near his house for fear the ghost of that hickory stick would pursue us, and when the house had fallen into decay, we children nicknamed it "the haunted hickory manor."

Our grandmother always told us that if we were very good children the little folk would come and dance in the lane with us, and if we were very bad children the banshees would fly away with us. However, I don't think the latter story affected us very much, as we were always tumbling into mischief, and wouldn't have been too good for anything in the world. But when our grandmother told the stories on long winter evenings, she made them so realistic we would hug very close to her, and I tell you that we could almost hear the whir of the wings of the little people as they circled around our heads. Oh, grandmother mine, how I wish you were here this minute, that I could press your frail, tender hands so close to my cheek and kiss those dear, patient fingers!

Answers to Correspondents.

Aimee—Your scenario is something like "The Piper" by Josephine Prescott Peabody. I regret that I cannot give you specific criticisms.

J. D. C.—I recall the letter you refer to, but could not answer it because you neglected to sign your name. Suppose you write me on the subject again.

H. G.—The play you speak of was "The Concert" and the leading role was played by Leo Dietrichstein. No; it has never been made into a moving picture.

C. T.—Viola Dana is with the Edison company. Certainly they were real flowers in the photograph "Gladolia." You must have overlooked the subtitle with that information. It would be impossible to get the same effect otherwise.

Evelyn Neil—I think you write a very interesting letter for a nine-year-old girl. You are quite sensible, to want to go to school and not act in the movies. "San Tooy" must be a most engaging kitten.

Arthur B.—The only way to learn of vacancies in their scenario staffs would be to write to the moving-picture companies direct, stating your experience.

Mary Pickford.

the alumni versus the students and the Tome-Hill baseball game. Among the Washingtonians who expect to return to their alma mater for this occasion are Edward P. Abbe, Donald Weems, who is a student at the Georgetown University, and Robert W. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel Bidle, Jr., of Philadelphia, will spend the summer at Brookville, Pa., where they have leased the home of Mr. Julian A. Ripley for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Barron Magruder have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter Margaret and Mr. William Anderson Lester May II, at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church.

The wedding of Mr. Fal de Saint Phalle, a son of the Count and Countess Pierre de Saint Phalle, of New France, and Miss Marie Guidet Duryce, the daughter of Mrs. Samuel Sloan Auchincloss, was celebrated at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the Church of St. Ignace Loyola, in New York. The church was decorated with palms, magnolias and with lilacs on the altar, and while the guests were gathering Mr. Herbert Taylor, a friend of the family, gave an organ recital, which included Gounod's "Ave Maria" and also a French Romanesque, by Gounod, and the Lechevalier Wedding March as the Processional and the Mendelssohn as the Recessional. The Rev. Father Albert Brown officiated.

Former Representative J. Van Vochten, of New York, arrived in Washington yesterday and is stopping at the Willard.

Miss Florence Willis, of New York, is a guest of Senator and Mrs. Taggart, of Indiana, and the Misses Taggart at the Willard.

Mrs. Thomas Dunn, of New York; Miss Constance Vauclain, of Rosemont, Pa., one of the exhibitors in the horse show; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney C. Neale, Mrs. McEwen Pruitt, and Mrs. Ralph Goldthwaite were among those luncheon and entertaining guests in the palm garden at the Willard yesterday.

Miss Anne Burr Jennings, of Fairfield, Conn., and Miss Amy Townsend, of New York, came to Washington yesterday and are at the Willard for several days.

Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst, of San Francisco, accompanied by Mrs. Adele Brooks, is in Washington for two weeks and is stopping at the Shoreham.

Judge A. C. Carson entertained at dinner in the rose room of the Shoreham Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Hampton Gary also entertained at dinner Tuesday evening at the Shoreham.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Carter, of Leesburg, are in Washington for a short time and are stopping at the Shoreham.

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